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UNION STAMP THROWN OUT OF LUMBER MILLS

Business Agent F. E. Heckman last night reporetd that the union stamp is being thrown out of most of the mills of Contra Costa county. Those firms who have already thrown out the stamp, and who are believed to be paving the way for an open shop move, are the Stege Hardware and Lumber Co., Tilden & Eakle and Irvin & Lewis.

Col. G. W. Preble, manager of Burg Bros.' Lumber Co. of this city, has stated to Heckman that he would not take off the label unless absolutely forced to. Preble is averse to the procedure, and states he will be the last one to discard the union label.

Heckman said last night: "It is a move for the open shop in all lines in this county.."

It is thought that the lumber trust is forcing this situation on the local mill men. Labor leaders declare that the lumber trust is forcing all mills to adopt the same price schedule and to buy lumber from the same place.

Although the matter was mentioned at the session of the Carpenters last night, no action was taken.

DECIDE PAVING FOR TUNNEL

At the meeting of the council last night it was decided just what kind of paving would be used in the municipal tunnel, which is fast nearing completion. The tunnel will have a cement concrete base running six inches on the fill and four on the cuts. On top of this there will be two inches of asphalt concrete.

HARRIS ON BOARD

At the meeting of the Sons of St. George last night Brother Harris was appointed to represent the order on the advisory board of the Social Service Bureau. Last night's session was well attended. One new member was taken in. Those present talked over the visit made to Albion Lodge of Oakland last Saturday night, all declaring they had a splendid time.

The business of the evening out of the way, the rest of the time was spent in singing. Music is getting to be a feature of the lodge.

SCHRAMM RECOVERS; IS OUT OF HOSPITAL

J. H. Schramm, who underwent an operation for appendicitis and for stomach ailment at the Morton hospital in San Francisco several weeks ago, has recovered from his illness and is able to be about again. Schramm was in the hospital from Jan. 9 to Feb. 15.

Prior to his illness he was in the employ of the Santa Fe Co. He is planning to leave in a few days on a visit to his old home, Payson, Utah.

TO BUY PLANIMETER.

City Engineer Chapman was last night empowered by the council to buy a planimeter, to be used for measuring purposes. The instrument will cost $48.

DANIEL COX NEW OFFICER

On the recommendation of Chief of Police Charles Walker, Daniel Cox was last night appointed patrolman on the Richmond police force by the council. The compensation is to be $90 a month. He takes the place made vacant by the resignation of Officer Percy, who quit his job following the airing of his domestic troubles. Cox ahs been an employe of the street car company for several years.

HOTTINGER GETS AWAY- IS SOUGHT

B. Hottinger, formerly a local cement worker, who was committed to the Mendocino state hospital at Talmage several months ago after an examination before a lunacy commission at Martinez, has escaped from the asylum. Word to this effect reached Richmond yesterday in a letter received by Mrs. Hottinger, a resident of San Pablo, from Robt. L. Richards, medical superintendent of the state institution. Hottinger made good his escape last Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Late advices are to the effect that he has not been captured.

It is thought that Hottinger is on the verge of starvation in the wilds of Mendocino county. There is little doubt in the minds of the hospital officers and Mrs. Hottinger that the escaped man is trying to make his way to Richmond.

Mrs. Hottinger is fearful that her husband will reach Richmond before he is captured. Before being committed to the asylum, Hottinger threatened to kill his spouse. During his confinement he has nursed the idea of harming his wife.

Hottinger has been mentally unbalanced for some time. His condition is said to be the result of a blow on the head he received several years ago.

That troubles never come singly has proved true in the case of the Hottinger family. Clifford, the unfortunate man's young son, suffered an accident to his leg over a year ago, and has been a helpless cripple since that time.

The hospital officials are still hunting for Hottinger. The local officers have been notified to be on the lookout for him.

ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF MISS CHANDLER

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chandler of 539 Fifth street entertained a number of friends in honor of their daughter, G. Geissner. The occasion was the 18th birthday of the popular girl. The evening was passed in music and games. The Chandler home was artistically decorated with hearts and carnations. Before the party broke up the hostess served refreshments. Those present were Winnie Smith, Adeline Bryant, Meta Ludewig, Marjorie Bryant, Regina Ardery, Katherine Frymire, Elizabeth Robertson, Mildred Bryant, Giessner Chandler, William Hoskins, Foster Conn, Emerson Garrard, Ed Tempel, Royce Washburn, Erwin Barr, Ross Jones, W. Cochran, Robert Robertson, Ludwig Voss, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Conley, Mrs. Harry Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chandler.

CARPENTERS HAVE BUSY SESSION

A special meeting of the Carpenters' Union will be held in the Labor Temple Saturday evening, Feb. 20, at 7:30 p. m., for the transaction of business of vital importance to the members.

Every member who has the welfare of organized labor at heart is especially requested to be present.

There was a large attendance at last night's meeting and an interest was shown in the business of the evening which speaks well for the future of the organization.

Assistance was rendered H. J. Bender, a cabinet maker, who formerly belonged to a union in the East, but who has been delinquent since coming here.

Showing a willingness to become a member, he was given an application at the expense of the local. Bender is the head of a large family and sorely in ne edof employment.

Aside from the regular routine business, President E. G. Wisdom was unanimously elected a delegate to the State Building Trades Council, to be held in San Francisco.

TO SELL POOL HALL.

It was stated last night on good authority that the Alaska pool hall, located on the bottom floor of the Florin building on Macdonald avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets, will be sold today to satisfy a chattel mortgage held by the Mechanics' Bank of this city. The amount of the mortgage is not known.

THINKS ONE OF THUGS RESIDES HERE

Thomas Combs, the aged grocer, who was held up and robbed by masked thugs in Fruitvale Monday night, and who tried to burn him to death by locking him in his building and setting fire to the structure, is expected to come to Richmond today in an effort to identify one of his assailants as a resident of this city. This word was received last night, after leaking out from official sources in Oakland. At a late hour last night Combs had not made his appearance in this city.

The Oakland police, who are working on the case, are keeping all details quiet. Local officials last night stated they know nothing of the truth of the assertion that Combs thinks one of his assailants resides here.

The bandits who robbed Combs and tried to kill him are thought to be the same who were responsible for the robbery and double murder in Fruitvale, when Banker Vogel and wife were foully murdered.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURE INSPECTOR IS HERE

Weights and Measure Inspector Ralph Harrison spent yesterday in making an inspection of scales and liquid measures of the various business establishments in Richmond. The inspection locally is the first to take place since the inauguration of the weights and measures bureau. Harrison is now on his first trip around the county.

FIREMEN TEAR DOWN OLD WOODEN BUILDING

Under the direction of Fire Chief Roy Lemoine a crew of firemen yesterday started the work of tearing down the structure at Second and Macdonald, which for several months past has been used as the meeting place for the volunteer members of Fire Company 2. The lumber in the old building wil lbe used to construct a storehouse in the rear of the firehouse on Seventh street.

CUMMINGS AND FORREST HOME FROM LONG TRIP

Ward Cummings and Robert Forrest, employes of the Santa Fe shops in this city, have returned from a two months' vacation spent touring in the East. The young men had a number of interesting experiences. On one occasion they were capsized while rowing in a boat on the Hudson river near New York. They were rescued from their perilous position in the icy waters by Italian fishermen. While away Cummings and Forrest visited the Ford automobile factory, the Annheuser-Busch brewing plant, the Capitol building in Washington, Coney Isalnd and the Great Lakes.

BESSIE HAILES MOTIF FOR CHINA SHOWER

Mrs. Bessie Hailes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hailes, resident of 1309 Barrett avenue, whose engagement to Oliver Young was announced recently, was tendered a china shower at the home of Mrs. W. S. Smith at 140 Ninth street on Tuesday night. Miss Hailes received many useful and pretty china gifts. The Smith home was gaily decorated with red and green streamers. Those present were: Cecil Shurte, Nettie Whitesides, Olive Conn, Edith Prouse, Bessie Prouse, Irma Dearborn, Ada Pierce, Mabel Pearson, Minnie Smith, Mrs. J. Frymire, Olive Sanders, Carrie Oakley, Marguerite Little, Annie Smith, Myrtle Piene, Ruth Spencer, Mrs. W. S. Smith, Miss Bessie Hailes, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Cairs and Miss Mabel Irwin.

CHARLES D. KAISER IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

Charles D. Kaiser, resident of 423 Eighteenth street, this city, is defendant in a divorce suit instituted in the Superior Court at Martinez yesterday by his wife, Nora H. Kaiser. Cruelty is alleged in the complaint against Kaiser.

BIDS FOR WHARF ARE REJECTED

All bids for the construction of outer mnuicipal wharf number 1 were last night rejected by the council when it was found that there were irregularities in the bidding among the companies that were low. The low bidders did not bid according to the combinations provided for by the city's engineers.

There were ten bids submitted to the council at Monday night's meeting. The lowest bid last night was $30,000 lower than the lowest bid offered when bids on the wharf construction were called the first time.

City Clerk Faris was ordered to readvertise for bids, to be opened on March 1. Al lbids submitted Monday night were turned down on the recommendation of City Attorney Hall and Engineers Haviland and Posey.

PHILIPPINES IS DEBATE TOPIC

The first public debate to be offered by teams from the high school will be held tomorrow. The question is: "Resolved, That the Philippines should be given their independence within three years." This is a subject of vital importance to the United States now, because of Democratic declarations regarding Philippine independence.

The Senior English calss from which the teams have been selected have been studying the question for several weeks, so that an interesting and spirited discussion is promised. The speakers for the affirmative are: Jos. Sharp, Rose Littel and Philip Angell, and for the negative: Valera McLarney, William Stewart and Walter Hoffman.

The debate will be held in the high school assembly at 9 o'clock Friday morning and will be open to the public.

JOHN BRADSHAW BREATHES LAST

John P. Bradshaw, aged 78, father of Mrs. J. T. Wells, and a resident of Richmond for the past three years, died at his home at 2439 Main avenue at 7 o'clock last night following a long illness. Death was due to Brights disease.

The body is now at the Smallwood parlors. Arrangements for the funeral services have not been announced.

Prior to coming to this city the decedent, who was a retired rancher, lived practically all of his life in Oklahoma, his native state.

MUSSELS PROVE DAINTY BIT AT BIG BANQUET

Mussels gathered from the rocks off Mendocino county were the chief article on the bill of fare at the banquet given at the home of Mrs. A. E. Rose in San Pablo on Tuesday night. There was dancing during the evening.

Those present were Mrs. T. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rose, George Valencia, Dr. C. E. Camp, Mrs. M. Earhart, Miss Gladys Earhart and Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson.

TO ERECT BUILDING AT SECOND AND MACDONALD AVE.

With the issuance of a building permit yesterday by Building Inspector Wierda to Mrs. I. Ruddu, it became known that a brick building is to be built on the southwest corner of Second and Macdonald avenue. The structure, which will be two stories high, will cost $3500. It is probabel that the wooden structure now on the site of the building it is proposed to erect will be torn down in a few days.

Slattery Brothers yesterday secured a permit to make an addition to their building at the corner of Seventh and Macdonald avenue. The improvement will cost $100.

J. C. Allen secured permission to build a woodshed in the rear of his property on Garrin street, in the Brown-Andrade tract. The shed will cost $30.

OFFICER IS REBUKED BY THE COURT

Police Judge Lindsay reprimanded and rebuked Special Officer Edwards of the Santa Fe Co. in court yesterday afternoon for what Judge Lindsay termed "an abuse of power" and the "mistreatment of a prisoner."

The ire of the court was aroused during the hearing of the case of Joe Marino, for some time an employe of the Santa Fe, who Edwards charged with disturbing the peace. After hearing a number of witnesses Lindsay ordered Marino dismissed from custody and dropped the charge against him.

There was testimony during the trial to the effect that Edwards had hit Marino while Marino was down. Marino, on the stand, said Edwards kicked him.

Marino said he was intoxicated on Tuesday morning, and realizing he had too much, started home. He claims Edwards met him and put him under arrest. From then on his story was not clear.

Santa Fe employes said that Marino insisted on fighting with the officer, and that on one occasion he took off his coat and shirt, insisting on "mixing things" with the officer.

The witnesses examined were J. J. Davis, B. McCann, Mrs. R. C. Ratman, O. R. Harris, J. B. Barry, A. J. Rice and the defendant. Mrs. Ratman offered the testimony to the effect that Edwards had hit his assailant while down.

After dismissing Marino, Lindsay took Edwards to task for not taking Marino home, instead of arresting him. He also scored the officer, stating: "You have exceeded your authority. The prisoner was not entitled to the treatment he received at your hands. I advise you to be more careful in the future. The evidence shows Marino was bothering no one."

FROM CURRY PARLORS

Many sorrowing friends were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Edward Anderson, held from the Curry undertaking parlors yesterday afternoon. That the victim of the accident of last Sunday night was held in high esteem by her scores of friends was shown by the profusion of foral offerings. The pallbearers were H. Vargan, George Cook, Charles Nelson, Fred Davis, J. Thornton and Edward Conlon. The body was interred in St. Joseph's cemetery in Stege.

CONDITION UNCHANGED.

Dr. C. R. Blake, attending Attorney Frank Smith, who suffered an attack of heart failure on Tuesday, reports that the condition of his patient is unchanged. Smith is expected to recover.

GAFALDO IS BITTEN BY DOG

G. Gafaldo, employe of the Standard Oil Co., was painfully bitten on the left leg by a large balck dog while out walking on the west side early last night. Gafaldo's limb was badly lacerated. The wound was carefully cauterized by Dr. C. R. Blake, who was called in attendance.

The dog is being held at the city pound, pending an investigation as to whether it has the rabies.

Annexed Section After Benefits

At a recent meeting of the Greater Richmond Civic Improvement Association of Richmond that body discussed a number of grievances that the section of the city it represents, that part recently annexed, has. In order to get the platform and the motif for organizaion and existence before the people of the city, Major Dan W. McLaughlin was appointed a committee of one to draft a resolution putting forth complaints and remedies. McLaughlin, in compliance, has drafted and presented the resolution which follows:

To the Officers and Members of the Greater Richmond Civic Association—

Gentlemen: As your committee of one to draft a preamble and resolutions for the consideration of this organization, I beg leave to submit the following:

Whereas, Some years ago the citizens of the city of Richmond in their wisdom annexed what is now known as the Annexed District, or eastern part of Richmond, the citizens of the said section working hard and earnestly to help carry the election which brought about the annexation, believing implicitly in the manifestations made to them that the benefits to accrue to them would be material and at least offset the burden of taxation they would be called upon to bear because of said annexation; and

Whereas, Subsequent events have shown that this calculation was erroneous as far as the said benefits accruing are concerned, for the simple reason that they have not accrued, and while the property owned by the citizens of the Annexed District has been raised in taxation since annexation approximately 500 per cent, the benefits because of being annexed have been practically nill up to date, and we find ourselves in much the same condition and frame of mind as the welel known historical patriots who dumped the tea in the Boston harbor—the only difference being that their grievance was because of taxation without representation, while ours is taxation without commensurate or adequate returns or benefits therefor.

Therefore, this organization has been called into being for the purpose of taking up the important matter in an organized and efficient manner, finding out the cause and effect and seeking remedies therefor. Its other objects are to do all in its power for the upbuilding of this Greater Richmond, not only the annexed section thereof, but all of it, north, south, east and west.

The citizens of this Annexed District have at all times and under all circumstances contributed their time and money for the carrying of any election or project calculated to benefit the city as a whole, notable among such being the defeat of the ambitions of San Francisco to gobble this whole city for pretty much the same purpose which the Annexed District seems to have been gobbled for—to help pay the bills and help do the work, draw the water and hew the wood, nad be satisfied with a remuneration of nothing more substantial than a vote or thanks, a pleasant smile and bountiful supplies of warm ozone.

Another notable instance of the staunch loyalty of the citizens of the Annexed District to the city as a whole is found in the Inner Harbor election and the subsequent efforts to obtain Federal aid for that harbor. In this instance we devoted our time and our money far in excess of all the citizens of the main part of the city combined, yet it was not our section of the city to be first benefited, but the western and southern sections. We went on to Washington several times and put in weeks and months in this good and patriotic cause, and spent thousands of dollars of our money in its behalf, and in behalf of the whole city of Richmond, and we are glad of it, and proud of it, and are ready now r any time to do just such things for the betterment and upbuilding of this wonderful city that is now in the spotlight everywhere.

The aggregate amount of taxes paid into the municipal treasury by the citizens and realty owners of this Eastern Annexed District is something enormous, and we respectfully submit that we are justly entitled to a fair and equitable proportion of the benefits accruing from the expenditure of that money. We want our streets improved, trees painted, parks provided for and improved, an adequate street lighting service, police and fire protection, sewage and all the other beneficent blessings showered upon our brethren in other sections of the city.

We believe that the city fathers and others in authority are inclined to be fair and just and have no desire to discriminate for or against any section of the city, and we ac-

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RICHMOND WILL JOIN IN FESTIVITIES FOR OPENING OF BIG FAIR

Richmond, as well as San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley, will celebrate the formal opening of the Exposition next Saturday morning. This was decided at the meeting of the council last night. Between the hours of 6 and 7 a. m. the auto fire trucks of the local department will be driven around the streets of the city. The bells on the trucks will be clanged. All the whistles in the city's manufactories will be blown for a period of ten minutes, and everything done to make plenty of noise in celebrating the opening of the big show across the bay.

KENNEDY TO SEE JOHNSON AS DELEGATE

James Kennedy has been appointed a delegate from Richmond to go with delegates from labor councils all over the state to Sacramento on Feb. 25 and appear before Governor Johnson, requesting that Richard ("Blackie") Ford and Herman D. Suhr, now serving life sentences in Folsom prison, be liberated. The appointment of Kennedy as a delegate was made at the meeting of the Central Labor Council, held last night.

A communication was received from the International Broom and Whisk Makers' Union, advising union men to look for the label in buying brooms. It was stated that many brooms sold are manufactured by convict labor.

It was reported that the Annheuser-Busch Brewing Co., after having been on the unfair list for over a year, is now fair again.

M'LAUGHLIN ON HOME TRADING

If Richmond residents expect this city to go ahead in the future they must get the "trade-at-home" spirit. Major Dan W. McLaughlin, in speaking of the "trade-at-home" idea, yesterday dropped some good suggestions.

McLaughlin said:

"The trade-at-home spirit has not been inculcated into any strong, vigorous working body in the city of Richmond since its incorporation. How can we hope for large theaters, hotels, banks and business houses when a great many of the heavy business men spend their money elsewhere. In my opinion we ought to adopt as a slogan, 'Keep our pay roll at home.' There is no question but that we have the finest city of its size in the world and if we all catch hold with the down-hill pull that we now avhe we will certainly accomplish wonders."

March 13—Women of Woodcraft to give St. Patrick's dance in W. O. W. Hall.

HOW THE RECKLESS CHARGED "BEFORE AND AFTER"

Before the 1915 contract for city advertising was let, the Record-Herald printed the widening of Twenty-third street twice. It was printed in eight-point type and the city was charged for eleven squares of space.

After it ran it in eight-point type two times, it was set up in the smaller type and was run eight times.

Set in the legal type the city was charged for eight squares of space.

The bill has been held up. The finance committee thinks the difference between the charges for the notice, before and after, is an exceleint working exmmple of the overcharges that extend over several years.

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FIGHTING THE SLUMS.

Wretched tenements and slums, such as now deface many of the larger American cities in the East, can be avoided in California by wise preventive measures, is the claim of Charles H. Cheney, architect and housing expert, who has just made for the Commission of Immigration and Housing of California a trip of investigation through the East. He not only visited the East Side of New York, the North End of Boston, and other congested districts, but also attended numerous association conventions, notably the Convention of the American Civic Association in Washington, D. C., and the Annual Conference of all the City Planning Commissions of Massachusetts. His work also included an investigation of the housing and city planning commissions in Baltimore, Wilmington, Philadelphia, New York, Newark, Boston, Buffalo, Toronto, Chicago and St. Louis. Based on these varied experiences is his conviction that this state should take immediate steps to forestall the social disaster of crowded slums.

The first concrete attempt to impress the necessity of action upon the public mind will be a housing exhibit under the direction of the Commission of Immigration and Housing. Acting as representative of the commission, Cheney has prepared a collection of photographs and statistics of rental return, etc., of the best types of workingmen's houses to be found in the East. These, together with plans of the garden city houses of England and their prototypes in Germany and Canada, will be exhibited this month in Los Angeles, Oakland and San Francisco, that it may be an example of what can be done with proper forethought and guidance. The exhibit is planned to particularly emphasize the real housing problem in California—the single family dwelling or shacks in poorer parts of cities. A solution for these growing abuses is suggested in the form of state regulation.

Both in Europe and the Atlantic states it has been found that private initiative cannot be trusted to provide decent housing for the working classes. In order to avoid the evils of insanitation and congestion it is a demonstrated necessity that the government take a hand. "The whole discussion as to whether it is the pig or the pigsty which is responsible for the bad conditions must be dismissed," says Cheney, "and careful restricted tenement house laws enacted." Nor does Cheney admit that this will be sufficient, but insists that the real solution of the problem must include constructive work in the building of habitable dwellings. Some one's business, he holds, it should be to plan ahead and encourage the private development of an ample supply of wholesome dwellings for the poorer classes. Only by the combination of proper statutes and adequate means of enforcement can success be hoped for, is the prediction.

Dr. Frederick C. Howe, United States commissioner of immigration in New York, urges a broad, comprehensive program of reform. He shows that better housing can only come from mandatory city planning, the study of state and municipal credits, and the use of insurance revenue or other state funds for proper workingmen's housing projects. assachusetts has already established a State Homestead Commission, and has made it imperative that all its cities and towns form planning boards to remedy three-century-old defects and improve future conditions. Similarly, Canada has decided that greater than preserving the forests, or the colonization of settlers, is the conservation of humans. Its Conservation Commission has employed recently the foremost housing and town planning expert of England, Thomas Adams, to educate the Dominion municipalities. It is with these principles that Cheney is re-enforcing the work of the Commission of Immigration and Housing of California, and it is with these examples that he hopes to quicken the interest of the public.

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE—BY CONDO.

"QUEER COUNTRY THIS, WHERE A CHAP IS NABBED FOR MAKING MONEY"

My word this is a queer country. Charles W. Galvin, a swell from "Lunnon," says so. Charles should know. He bought a machine from a smart-looking young chap in Chicago the other day and [illegible] making money with it.

The bobbies interfered with his enterprise, took the machine away from him and told him that this "queer country" made all its money in the mints and it was a bad business for an Englishman to engage in it.

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knowledge that it may be partly our own fault that we have not received benefits commensurate with our taxation, in that we have not brought the matter to the attention of the authorities in an organized and efficient manner, as we now propose to do; therefore,

Be it resolved, That immediate and proper steps be taken by htis Greater Richmond Civic Association to make known its desires and requests to the city council and the people in general, not only as to the needed improvements and betterment of service in and for the Annexed District, but in other matters of general benefit and need of the whole city and every section and every citizen thereof.

Respectfully submitted,
D. W. McLAUGHLIN.

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CHIEFS PRESENT AT SESSION

Onetah Council No. 96, Degree of Pocahontas, entertained several Great Chiefs last night. Those entertained were Julia Perry of Napa, Great Pocahontas. Lorena O'Neil of S. F., Great Wenonah; Emma Weidemeier of Los Angeles, Great Prophetess; Alice Goodall of S. F., Great Keeper of Wampum; Ida Wheeelr of Los Angeles, Past Great Pocahontas.

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432. Third and Ripley Streets.
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PREPARING FOR BIG RECEPTION

Preparations are being made by the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church for the reception to be given Rev. Skinner, the new pastor in the church parlors at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow night. The reception will be an informal affair, and will be a good opportunity for the flock to get acquainted with the new leader.

The Aid met yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. Piety at 6 Crest avenue. Mrs. Piety's daughter, Mrs. B. Rather, assisted in entertaining. After the business session refreshments were served. Thos epresent were: Mrs. Clark, Mrs. C. Collins, Miss Edna Lowe, Mrs. Grace Harshner, Mrs. McClanahan, Mrs. T. Dunalp, Mrs. Max Henry, Mrs. A. Mason, Mrs. Al Pingrim, Mrs. C. E. Bennett, Miss Ida Sission, Mrs. C. Root, Mrs. B. Rather, Mrs. W. Piety and Miss L. Woody.

The next meeting wil ibe held at the home of Mrs. Clanahan on Terrace avenue on Wednesday afternoon.

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SAC'TO LABOR COUNCIL IS NEUTRAL IN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU ARGUMENT

The Sacramento Federated Trades Council has receded from its position of backing the State Labor Bureau as the proper organization to handle the state free employment offices under the proposed law. It has gone on record as being neutral in the fight that the Labor Bureau and the State Housing and Immigration Commission are waging for contro lof this department.

This step was taken after Paul Scharrenberg of San Francisco, and a member of the State Housing Commission, had addressed the council and pointed out that his organization was the proper one to control the proposed employment offices.

Scharrenberg made the point that the commission was better equipped to take over this work, because both employers and employes were represented on the commission, and the history of state employment offices showed that impartial bodies had more success than class ones in dealing with this work.

He said the commission had offered to leave the matter to Governor Johnson to decide, but John P. McLaughlin, state labor commissioner, would not consent to it.

OTIS' STATEMENT BRANDED UNTRUE

A report made by H. W. Dennett to the United States Commission on Industrial Relations gives figures refuting the claim of Harrison Gray Otis that the rates in the composing room of the non-union Los Angeles Times compare favorabyl with the union rates of that city.

The report shows that the average of Times' composing room employes is $27.53, against $35.21 for the union employes on other newspapers based on an eight-hour day.

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FAVOR WAGE INCREASE.

Porposed charter amendment No. 29, providing for an increase of $20 per month in salaries of eight marine firemen employed on the two city fire boats, and seven hydrantment, has received the unanimous endorsement of the S. F. Labor Council, the Building Trades Council and the Water Front Workers' Federation.

It adopted the salaries of these 15 men will be increased to $120 per month, the minimum wage that other members of the fire department are now receiving.

STATE BOARD TO ADJUST.

The State Highway Commission has sent notice that they are trying to adjust their bridge and culvert work so that none but union men would be employed. This is in response to a recent communication from the Labor Council.

Cut the cost of groceries by new Cash-Credit system. Golden Gate Grocery. 2-1m

UNION LABORERS TO PROTECT THE UNION SCALE

P. J. Leary, B. Murphy and W. F. Dwyer have been appointed a committee from the S. F. United Laborers' Union to request the co-operation of the newspapers in defeating proposed charter amendment No. 14, which provides for an appropriation of 1 per cent for the relief of those in need of work. The laborers contend that, inasmuch as the voters of the city have given it as their opinion that a $3 a day wage should be paid, no less should be offered. This year the city is paying but $1.60 daily for laborers under the relief appropritaion and last year they paid but $1.20. The laborers also hold that the members of the Commonwealth Club are not in sympathy with a living scale for workers, and prefer to work them at the minimum they are forced to accept.

IRON WORKERS' LEAD ON BOOST

Joseph Clorey, president of the International Assn. of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, arrived in San Francisco yesterday and will remain for ten days. He will address the Building Trades Council tomorrow night and will later visit the various locals of his organization.

Feb. 22—Dance by Pythian Sisters, Temple 86, in A. O. U. W. Hall. Good music.

The circle of homes reached by the Richmond Daily News is constantly widening and the loyalty between its readers and advertisers is growing stronger every day.

NEXT TUESDAY LADIES' AID COLONIAL DINNER

Next Tuesday evening the Ladies' Aid of the Wesley Methodist church will give a Colonial dinner. The food will be of the very best and the price will be nominal. It will start at 5:30 p. m. and will close at 7:30.

LILLIAN RUSSEL IN "WILDFIRE" AT RICHMOND

Lillian Russell's advent into the film world has been signalized by a great success in the great racing play, "Wildfire," which will be shown at the Richmond theater today for the last times. This is one of the most thrilling dramas ever presented before the screen and in which Miss Russell is seen to great advantage.

How a girl saves her fortune from the wiles of an unscrupulous gambler and wins the olve of a man who is dearer to her than all else in the theme, which is worked out with splendid effect by Miss Russell and a strong supporting company. A one-reel drama and a Keystone comedy are also attractive features of today's program.

April 1—Annual lecture of the Richmond Church of Christ, Scientist, in Lincoln auditorium by William Rathbon of Denver.

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HI SCHOOL NOTES

By SCOOP.

Two basketball games, followed by a dance, will be held in the high school gymnasium tomorrow evening. The Midgets will line up against the Atoms, and two girl teams will be given a chance to show their respective merits. The event is for school students only.

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The mooving picture operator taking pictures for the Expo. was at the school yesterday noon, and took a few feet of film of the students and of the building.

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Lawrence Cameron, athletic manager, who is suffering from a foot badly inflamed with blood poisoning, is at his home near Merced. He will be back Monday.

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Since the rejection of the report of the pin committee by the student body, the members of the committee are at a olss as to how to proceed.

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The plan for the creation of a student body court of justice came up for discussion yesterday morning. The plan is highly commendable and should be given a trial.

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MRS. LINSER IS HOSTESS

Yesterday afternoon the fourth of a series of whist parties was given by Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters at the home of Mrs. Linser. The hostess served refreshments during the afternoon.

LANDS JOB IN VISALIA.

Percy Jones, until recently an employe of the city engineering department, has accepted a job in the county surveyor's office in Visalia.

The premiums for 500 American Stamps are the best in the United States. Adv.

"HALOS" NOW THE THING FOR WOMEN OF FASHION; NEW YORK WOMEN START FAD

The former Miss Marjorie Gould, now Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel, has given New York and Palm Beach a new fashion to talk about. It's the aureold hat. She wore it, for the first time, at the marriage of her cousin, Miss Hope Hamilton, to Harry Livingston Kaufman.

The "aureole" is made of mauve color tulle, and the only trimming used is an orchid blossom.

TAKEN INTO EASTERN STAR.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dicely were taken into membership in Miramar Chapter of Eastern Star at the meeting held in Fraternal Hall on Tuesday night. Following the initiatory exercises a banquet was served.

Thermos bottels, large assortment, just received. Ferguson's Drug Store, 724 Macdonald. 21-tf

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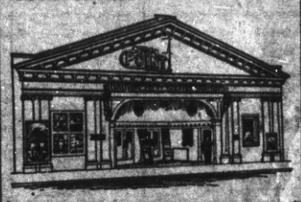

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PYTHIAN SISTERS—Contra Costa Temple No. 113, meets Saturday evenings at Pythian Castle, Fifth St., near Macdonald. Marion Tubbs, M. C. Jessie Percy, M. of R. and C.

MODERN WOODMEN—El Cerrito Camp No. 11622, meets Tuesday evenings at W. O. W. Hall, Seventh and Macdonald. A. O. Bennett, consul. C. B. Evans, clerk.

LADIES CIRCLE OF G. A. R.—Meet Second and Fourth Tuesday afternoons at 2 o'clock in Elks' Hall. Mrs. Mary B. Moyle, Pres. Mrs. Joella Bonham, Secretary.

COL. JOHN STOTSENBURG CAMP No. 46, U. S. W. V., meets 2nd and 4th Thursday in W. O. W. Hall, cor. Seventh and Macdonald. C. A. Rodgers, Commander. S. B. Kurtz, Adjt.

Olive Homestaed No. 1106, meets in Pythian Castle Thursday nights, at 8 o'clock. R. B. Bryant, Foreman MATTIE J. HOUSE, Corres. (800 Macdonald, afternoons.)

I. O. O. F., M. U.—Loyal Richmond Lodge No. 9278 meets Tuesday nights in Barnaman Hall, on Nineteenth St. F. Richard, N. G. J. T. McGennas, Permanent Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Richmond Lodge No. 13, meets on Friday nights at Pythian Castle. Visiting brothers cordially invited. J. A. Gregory, C. C. A. S. Lilly, K. of R. and S.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Maple Camp No. 4027 Meets every Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in K. of P. Hall, Visitors cordially welcome. Ella Bowman, Oracle. Louise Wimer, Recorder, 643 S. 15th St.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F. meets Monday evenings at 8 o'clock at Pillow Bldg. Hall, 7th and Macdonald. F. C. Lautenschlager, N. G. E. G. Alexander, Secretary.

CEMENT WORKERS—Local No. 133 A. B. of C. W. meets Second and Fourth Wednesday eenings of each month at 8 o'clock, in Labor Temple, 4th St. near Macdonald. J. H. Duus, Pres. Dave Hutchison, Secy.

REBEKAHS — Richmond Rebekah Lodge No. 206 meets First and Third Thursdays of each month at W. O. W. Hall, cor 7th and Macdonald. Ruth L. Dyer, N. G. Margaret A. Shea, Rec. Secretary.

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THE SPORT LOG BOOK

SEASON TO START ON 28TH AND NO LATER

Printed reports to the effect that the local baseball season will not start until March 7 were yesterday emphatically denied by Manager Bill Luce. Luce says the first game will be on Feb. 28, as announced, and will be with the club of St. Mary's college. There is little doubt that the grounds will be in shape to play on by the last day of the month.

The misguided scribe who tried without success to have the opening put off a week to make a story for his sheet got off on the wrong foot.

WINEHAVEN TO HAVE BIG BALL

Elmo Pinkerton, manager of the Winehaven baseball nine, will essay a new role. Pinkerton has branched out as a floor manager, and it will be his business to see that everyone has partners and a good time at the dance to be given in Winehaven on the night of Friday, February 19. The proceeds from the affair will go for the benefit of the Winehaven baseball team, which is in the field stronger than ever this season. All the residents of Winehaven are working hard to make the ball a success. A large delegation is expected to be in attendance from Richmond.

A. Morres is the assistant floor manager for the dansant.

HUB CITY READY FOR BASEBALL AGAIN

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 17.—That Marysville will have baseball this year is a certainty, according to those who are in a position to know. "While I am just now not in a position to give out anything," said Howard Brown, manager of the local club last year, "I was never more confident of anything in my life than I am that Marysville is going to be in the field with a strong team this year. So firm am I in this belief that I will wager a $5 hat against an Owl cigar. Just be patient and don't rock the boat, and one of these days in the near future there will be some definite news to give out."

This is also the opinion of those who were associated with Brown in baseball last year, although they are equally close mouthed as Brown. This is the first time they have volunteered this much information and the fans have taken new hope in the recent declaration.

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LOU SCHROEDER HAVING HIS TROUBLES

Lou Schroeder, president of the State League, seems to be having an awful time keeping the clubs in the league whipped into shape. Dispatches sent out from Vallejo last week made it appear as though Vallejo would be in the league, and in it strong.

The Vallejo Times of Tuesday printed a story to the effect that Vallejo is not yet ripe for State League ball, and it is probable the natives of the Navy Yard city will not try to get into the fold until next year.

What Vallejo thinks in regard to the State League is the opinion of many a local fan.

SPORTING GOULASH

Zing! This old weather puts pepper into you. The air smells like baseball.

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"Denny" Burns, brother of pitchers Charlie and Bill Burns, who is spending a two months' vacation in New Mexico, writes friends in Richmond that he is having the time of his life. If Denny wrote home to all of his friends about himself he would be writing from now until 1916.

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Denny has not said anything about what Brother Bill, who was recently released by the Louisville club, will do this year. Bill is the real class, and he wil lhave no trouble catching on with a team in a class A organization.

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Ban Johnson, president of the American League, and one of the biggest baseball moguls in the business, states there will be no class A leagues given a major rating. It might not be amiss to ask Mister Johnson if there were no minor leaguers to draw from to recruit major league clubs, what would happen? If the class A leagues would withdraw from the fold of organized ball, the National and American leagues would soon met a sad ending.

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Why worry about Ban Johnson and Comiskey and their troubles when we have a State League all of our own that is having one big battle to get whipped into such shape that the season can be opened on time.

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The announcement that "Foghorn" Murphy has signed his 1915 contract as official announcer for the San Francisco club does not create any amount of real joy out this way.

YES, IT IS TRUE--KID SPRING IS HERE

For the past week we have heard vague rumors that spring is on its way. We are now convinced it is here.

How do we know? Well, first and foremost, Charlie Burns and Frank Gordon, the two pitchers on the local baseball nine, spend an hour or so each day getting the kinks out of their soup bones. Both of these boys are prepared to start off with a rush when the local season opens a week from Sunday.

Further proof that spring is here was furnished by reading dispatches from Chicago yesterday, which state the White Sox special left on its way to California, the big show and Paso Robles.

Spring is here! La-La. Let's play a game of catch out in the street, huh?

TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

F. C. Patterson left Richmond yesterday for Sonora, Tuolumne county, to attend the funeral of his brother, Dan, who died suddenly of pneumonia.

Local fans have not forgotten the way Murphy cold-decked and robbed the Elks last year when they were entitled to a win over the Oakland Coast Leaguers. Murphy umpired the game. He narrowly escaped occupying a slab in the Oakland morgue when the local fans got after him. "Foghorn" is a good announcer. He had better stay with that end of the game. S'nough. Mister Murphy will be peeved if he finds out the naughty way we have taken to ride him.

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THE PEER OF THE BASEBALL AND BOXING WRITERS ON THE COAST IS IN ACTION AGAIN. WHO DO YOU MEAN? WHO DO YOU SUPPOSE? "TAY PAY" MAGILLIGAN, OF COURSE. MAGILLIGAN, TO USE HIS OWN EXPRESSION, "IS SIZING UP AND CENSORING" SPORTING NEWS FOR THE OAKLAND ENQUIRER. TERRY HAS ALREADY STARTED BY WINNING A PRELIMINARY SKIRMISH WITH THE TYPEWRITER LEAGUER OF THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE. OF COURSE WE ARE NEUTRAL IN THE TROUBLE OF THE OAKLAND SCRIBES, BUT, ANYWAY, MORE POWER TO YOU, "TAY PAY."

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